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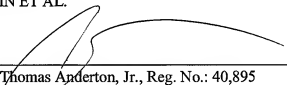
Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed May 16, 2008, finally rejecting claims 2 and 4.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(e), enclosed is payment in the amount of \$270.00 for the filing of the Notice of Appeal.

Respectfully submitted,  
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